

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please enter Amendments (A) through (E) provided below:

(A) Please insert the following headings and paragraph at Page 1, line 3 of the Application-as-filed, immediately preceeding the first full paragraph:

**CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application is being filed under Rule 1.371 as a National Stage Application of International Application No. PCT/EP2003/014714, which claims priority to German Patent Application No. 102 61 061.4, filed December 24, 2002, hereby incorporated by reference herein in their entirety.

**FIELD OF THE INVENTION**

(B) Please insert the following heading at Page 1, line 12 of the Application-as-filed, immediately preceeding the second full paragraph:

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

(C) Please insert the following heading on Page 6, line 2 of the Application-as-filed, immediately preceeding the first full paragraph:

**SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION**

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(D) Please insert the following heading on Page 6, line 34 of the Application-as-filed, immediately preceeding the partial sentence:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION